

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A feed additive for domestic animals for meat with the objective of improving the rate of raising and/or increasing average body weight, comprising a Grifola-derived substance selected from one or more of dried Grifola, dried Grifola powder, and a Grifola extract mixed therein.
2. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of claim 1 with the objective of improving the rate of raising and/or increasing average body weight, wherein the dried Grifola is produced by heating and drying fresh Grifola by gradually increasing the temperature stepwise initially from approximately 60°C to finally approximately 80°C.
3. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of claim 1 with the objective of improving the rate of raising and/or increasing average body weight, wherein the Grifola extract is produced by adding an alcohol to a water extract of fresh or dried Grifola or/and dried Grifola powder, leaving the resultant to stand, removing matter floating on or in the solution or adhering to the wall surface of a vessel, and concentrating the resultant.
4. (currently amended) A feed additive for domestic animals for meat with the objective of improving the rate of raising and/or increasing average body weight, comprising a Grifola-derived substance selected from one or more of dried Grifola, dried Grifola powder, and a Grifola extract and a yeast-derived substance mixed therein.
5. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of claim 4, wherein the yeast-derived substance is a dried yeast cell wall.
6. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of claim 4, wherein the Grifola-derived substance and the yeast-derived substance are mixed to result in a proportion of the former substance to the latter substance that is between 0.05-1.0 and 3.0-1.0 .

7. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of claim 6, wherein the yeast-derived substance is a dried yeast cell wall.

8. (currently amended) The feed additive for domestic animals for meat of any one of claims 1 to 7, wherein the domestic animals for meat are chickens, swine, or cattle.

9. (currently amended) A feed for domestic animals for meat, comprising 0.05% by weight to 1% by weight of the feed additive for domestic animals for meat of any one of claims 1 to 7 added thereto.

10. (currently amended) A method for raising domestic animals for meat, comprising providing 5 to 600 mg per day of the feed additive per kg body weight for domestic animals for meat of any one of claims 1 to 7 ~~per kg body weight of a domestic animal~~.

11. (currently amended) The method for raising domestic animals for meat of claim 10, wherein the domestic animals for meat are chickens, swine, or cattle.

12. (currently amended) A method for producing meat of domestic animals with good flavor, comprising providing the feed additive for domestic animals for meat of any one of claims 1 to 7 to domestic animals for meat.

13. (currently amended) A method for producing meat of domestic animals with good flavor, comprising providing 5 to 600 mg per day of the feed additive per kg body weight of a domestic animal for meat for domestic animals for meat of any one of claims 1 to 7 ~~per kg body weight of a domestic animal~~.

14. (currently amended) The method for producing the meat of domestic animals with good flavor of claim 12 or 13, wherein the domestic animals for meat are chickens, swine, or cattle.